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I can supply Barred Plymouth Rock Pulletts

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If you want anything in these lines let me quote you.

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IN FACT EVERY KIND OF HEATER.
This is the most favorable opportunity you have
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To any point in The Pass

Coleman Hardware Company.
Coleman, Alta.

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Mrs. McMakin has opened
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is prepared to show the ladies
of Frank and vicinity

THE CHOICEST SELECTION OF
PARIS AND NEW YORK has

ever shown in the Pass.

She has also an elegant display of
summer dresses and silk waists.
Dressmaking and remodeling artis-
tically done. Parlor next door to
The Frank Paper.

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If you are not interested in
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Come and See
what we have to offer in
the way of cigars, cigar-
ettes, smoking and chew-
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Our Stock
is up-to-date and fresh
and our selections in pipes
cannot be beaten in qual-
ity or price.

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For Furnishing, Dressing, etc.

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WHOLESALE DEALER

Wines, Liquors and Cigars
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Orders Promptly Filled
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SYNOPSIS OF COAL MINING REGULATIONS

Coal mining rights of the Dominion, in Mani-
toba, Saskatchewan, Alberta, the Yukon Terri-
tory, the North West Territories and British
Columbia, may be leased for a term of twenty
years, and the lessee may, during that period,
use more than \$500 acres to be held to one ap-
plication for a lease.

Application for a lease must be made to the
Minister of the Department in which the
rights applied for are situated.

In applied territory, the land must be de-
scribed by section, range and quarter section
and in unassured territory the tract
must be described by section, range and
quarter section.

Each application must be accompanied by a
map of the land to be leased, and the map
must be held to one application for a lease.

Each lease must be held to one application
for a lease at least once a year.

Each lease will include the coal mining rights
only, and the lessee may lease the land for
any other purpose.

Every lessee of coal mining rights which are
not being operated shall furnish the district
commissioner with a statement of the amount
to that effect at least once a year.

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The local association will put the

track in better condition than ever

for the occasion. Following is the

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First day - 2 1/2 pace or trot, best
three in five, mile heats.

Runabout: 3/4, heats.

Third quarter dash.

Half mile pony race.

Mile dash.

Half mile squat race.

Second day - Free for all and

pace, best three in five.

Third quarter dash.

Half mile pony race.

Mile dash.

One and one eighth mile dash.

Indian race, 1 mile.

25¢.

Chase - Small Debt Litigation

The provincial government, by an

order in council, has promulgated a
revision of the regulations governing

the bringing of civil suits in the
district courts relative to small debt

cases. The new regulations are de-
signed to cheapen such litigation and
especially designed for the benefit of

farmers. They provide the simplest
possible means of instituting such
suits and work out a material reduc-
tion in the cost of action.

SWELL RACES THIS SPRING

BLAIRMORE TRACK NOW IN WEST
ERN TURF ASSOCIATION.

TWO DAYS; BIG PURSES

Pass Turf Association Makes Capital
Stroke in Joining Great Seven-
ty Horses Coming from California,
Only Piece on Line Thus Far.

ever shown in the Pass.

She has also an elegant display of
summer dresses and silk waists.
Dressmaking and remodeling artis-
tically done. Parlor next door to
The Frank Paper.

The Pass Turf Association is making the
Blairmore track on the circuit of the
Western Turf Association, and in
consequence is able this spring to
give the finest racing meeting, in all
probability that has ever been held
in the southern part of the province
that is, south of Calgary. The ar-
rangements have all been perfected
and a meeting of two days will be
held at which purses aggregating
\$1800 will be hung up for a list of
events that will without doubt surpass
anything ever witnessed anywhere
in the south country in connection
with the racing game.

The new work was made last week
when Alderman Alfred Moodie of Cal-
gary, president of the Western Turf
Association, visited Blairmore and ap-
peared before a meeting of the P. S.
Turf Association Thursday evening
last. It did not take much argument
to convince the members of the associa-
tion of the wisdom of getting their
track on the big circuit, and arrange-
ments were speedily made.

According to the program the
Blairmore meeting will be held May
21st and 22nd. There will be six
events on the card each afternoon and
all will be high class with purses
amounting to large enough to in-
sure a run for the money.

The Western Turf Association has
a new track arranged for a big list of
California horses to make its circuit.
They will travel in their own special
cars and stop at only such places
as are on the circuit of the association.
Alderman Moodie stated that
seventy horses are guaranteed in this
lot alone and as there are a good
many good horses in the district just
to the east which will undoubtedly
come for good purses there seem
every likelihood that at least 100
horses will be entered. In view
of all the attention circumstances
make little doubt that the meeting
will be the most important ever held
anywhere in the province south of
the main line.

Blairmore is the only place on the
Crows Nest line between Cranbrook
and Lethbridge that has been given
a place on the circuit and this fact
will undoubtedly add greatly to the
success of the meeting. The Cali-
fornia string will come to Cranbrook
from Spokane, thence to Blairmore
and from The Pass will go to Leth-
bridge, thence to Calgary and the
other points on the circuit.

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OPENING A FINE MINE

The Alberta Coal company is open-
ing a new mine at Lumsden on the
hill to the south of the town where
the seam was struck during the win-
ter. The seam is one of the finest
that has yet been opened in this dis-
trict and promises to become the pro-
ducer of the finest quality of domes-
tic coal anywhere in the country.

The seam was uncovered early
this year and the company decided
to discontinue working the other
seams that were being developed and
devote its energies to thoroughly
prospecting the new seam before car-
rying on the work in other directions.
The hole was moved to the new seam
and a temporary tipple erected. Within
a month from the time of opening the
seam, coal was being shipped and
about a car a day is now being made
in the sinking of the slope. The
slope is now down about 100 feet and
the coal taken out is of superlative
fine quality. The seam is about four
feet thick and perfectly clean
from wall to wall. The coal is very
hard and comes out in immense
lumps with very little slack.

The work of stripping other seams
has been in progress for some time
and these additional seams have
been uncovered, all of good workable
size and apparently the coal is of
equally good quality as that in the
main working. A fifth seam was
found within the week but has not
had sufficient work done on it to deter-
mine its value.

The company will likely put in a
permanent plant at the scene of the
new find and make it main work-
ings.

LAST SHOW - 1907

Following is an Lumsden school report

for February:

Standard IV - A. Moxie, 1. Scott,

Standard III Senior - L. Watkinson,

Standard III Junior - H. Keith,

Watkinson, S. Morris, A. Fabro, E. Williams,

Standard II - E. Huiget, E. Morris,

J. Moxie, L. Pletot, H. Pletot, E.

Ledieu, J. Tripodi, A. Huiget, W.

McLellan, A. Mousley, B. Williams,

Standard I Part II - J. Moxie, I.

Bailliet, G. Huiget, J. Bailliet,

Part I - C. Huiget, M. Ledieu, C.

P. Huiget, M. Pletot, A. Visechi.

Operator Mullen Unworked.

The C.P.R. was last week fined

\$200 and costs for working

Operator Mullen on Sunday, Dec. 15, without

allowing him 24 hours rest during six

days, contrary to the Lord's Day Act.

Mullen is the operator upon whom the

blame for the train accident at

Buckett some time ago, at present

rests. The case was heard before

Magnates Stevens and George.

The sitting of the supreme court is set

for May 5. There will be a large

docket, both criminal and civil,

among the former being the case

arising from the death of Monty

Lewis of Blairmore.

GOVERNMENT OF THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

Notice to Steam Engineers

Notice is hereby given that an ex-

amination will be held by Joseph

Stevens, a duly appointed Inspector

of Steam Boilers for the province of

Alberta, at Macleod, March 10th

Lethbridge, A. R. & G. Reading rooms

MacLod, 12th and 13th March

Arthurdale, sample rooms, March

20th and 21st, at 9 o'clock A.M. for

the purpose of giving engineers and

apprentices an opportunity of qual-

ifying or certifying under the pro-

visions of the Steam Boilers Act 1906.

Application for examination should

be made to the above named inspec-

tor or to

John Sticks,

Deputy Minister,

Department of Public Works,

Edmonton, Alta.

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application.

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in advance; \$2.50 a year if not so paid.

THURSDAY, MARCH 19, 1908.

AS TO FREIGHT RATES.

The present industrial conditions of The Pass has been the means of bringing up a subject which it would be well for the boards of trade of the district to bring to the attention of Associated Boards recently organized with a view to having a determined campaign waged for better freight rates. The point in question relates to freight rates on coal. THE FRANK PAPER has been informed we do not know as yet how reliably but hope to obtain authentic information on the subject that the Canadian Northern is anxious to obtain the coal of this district for use on its engines and that it would place orders aggregating at least 1000 tons a day if they were not for the prohibitive freight rates charged on the coal by the C.P.R.

If there is truth in the report it will readily be seen what an injury is being done The Pass by the C.P.R. A thousand tons of coal a day, if the orders were to be distributed among the mines of The Pass that are idle, would be sufficient to keep them all running, as with the other orders they could secure, the tonnage would enable them to operate at a profit.

One would think that in the present condition of traffic, the C.P.R. would want the tonnage badly enough to make a rate the C.N.R. could stand even though it be a competing line, but according to our informant, the rate charged is such that the north-east line simply cannot afford to use the load of The Pass for its engines.

We would regard this as a subject on which it would be worth while for all the commercial bodies in the south as represented by the Associated boards of Trade to take in hand and carry it if necessary to the railway corporation, but that the right should be done.

Nor is the coal business the only matter in which The Pass is discriminated against, apparently. A local merchant informs us that oranges and other fruits from California are carried to eastern Canada at rates much lower than those charged to Calgary, the distributing point for the south of Alberta. If this is true it would seem to this paper about time an organized effort were made to find a remedy, time indeed, for the Associated boards to get busy, for it is only through such organized effort that there is any hope for relief.

The village council is taking the right track with regard to securing electric light for Frank. The energy of the members in going into the subject without loss of time is to be most highly commended and it is to be hoped they will permit nothing to interfere with the plan of establishing a municipal plant until every means to that end has been exhausted. If they find the water power scheme is going to be too expensive, then they should turn to the gas producer idea or any other that may be found to be feasible. If the coal company wants to furnish light there are probably few people in the town who would object to its being permitted to do so, provided the company will bind itself to put itself into a position to furnish light by the time the next winter sets in and is willing to enter into a contract to furnish it at reasonable rates. But the council should not abate its activities because it is known the company has thoughts of putting in a plant until the company comes forward and binds itself in these two respects as it is quite possible the company's plans may never materialize and if it is still within the bounds of possibility, the town should have

light by the time another winter comes around.

The Winning Post of London England has a huge joke on The Frank Paper as evidence the following:

There is a journal published in Canada called "The Frank Paper" and referring to the completion of a skating rink in Alberta, it certainly does not belie its name. It states: "Leslie Mills, manager of the skating rink has at last got his "bottom in good shape and should now have skating almost any day."

It is rather a coarse joke and about on a par with the Winning Post's style of humor, but it serves the Frank Paper a good purpose and for that purpose only it is reproduced. It shows how widely The Frank Paper is read, more, that it must be read with some care or an obscure local appearing in a column or more of similar items would hardly have been singled out. It might be recorded in passing that the use made of the item indicates the channels in which the editor's mind runs.

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Special attention given to
horses to vehicles.

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Pacific Hotel
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Patterson & Co., Prop.

A fine table, comfort in
your room, and no eye to
the pleasure of guests
makes THE PACIFIC
the ideal home of the un
married man.

BAR STOCKED

with the purest brands of liquors and
choice brands of cigars to be found
in Coleman

rank

Bakery

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Supplies the lightest,
sweetest and best
bread sold in The Pass

Buns, Cakes
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Delivery wagon visits all camps
LOUIS ALLARD, Proprietor

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A first class Hotel that gives its Patrons
what they pay for.

CONFORT IN THEIR ROOMS
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AN EXCELLENT TABLE.

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Purity and Excellence.

L. A. MANLEY, Prop.
C. E. BAKER, Manager.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST
HOMESTEAD REGULATIONS

For every numbered section of Dominion
Land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and
Alberta, a homestead may be made by
any person who is a sole head
of a family or may make one of
the following applications for
more or less.

The application may be made personally at the local

land office for the district in which the land is situated.

The homesteader is required to perform the
conditions connected therewith under one of
(1) 1/40th less one acre, reserving upon and
subjecting the same to the payment of the
annual taxes and other expenses of the
land.

(2) If the father (or the mother, if the father
deceased) of the homesteader resides upon a
farm in the vicinity of the land selected for
the homestead, the same may be established for
such person residing with the father or
mother.

(3) If the settler has his permanent residence
upon a farm in the vicinity of the land selected
for the homestead, the requirements as to
the land and residence may be satisfied by residence upon
the land and the payment of the annual taxes and
other expenses of the land.

Any application in writing should be given
to the Commissioner of the District in which
the land is situated.

W. W. Gray.

Report of the Minister of the Interior.

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Bracelets, English 9 k. plain and fancy designs.

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JEWELRY of EVERY DESCRIPTION
ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Alex Cameron, Coleman, Alberta.

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connection.

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Bar provided only with the finest brands
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community in the Crows Nest Pass.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Sittings of the District Court of the District of Macleod.

FRANK	Friday	May	8th
	Friday	November	24th
			18th
Dated March 2nd, 190			
S. B. Woods, Deputy Attorney General.			

The sittings of the district court of the district of Macleod during the year 1903 will be held at the places and on the dates given below for the trial of actions and the disposal of any other business which may properly be brought before the said court.

MACLEOD

Commencing

Monday	March	2-nd
Monday	April	27th
Tuesday	May	26th
Monday	June	22nd
Monday	July	27th
Monday	September	28th
Monday	October	25th
Monday	November	23rd
Monday	December	21st

NANTON

Tuesday	April	7th
Tuesday	July	7th
Tuesday	October	13th

CLARESHOLM

Wednesday	April	8th
Wednesday	July	8th
Wednesday	October	14th

PINCHER CREEK

Tuesday	May	5th
Tuesday	July	21st
Tuesday	November	10th

DOWLEY

Wednesday	May	6th
Wednesday	July	22nd
Wednesday	November	11th

BLAIRMORE

Thursday	May	7th
Thursday	July	23rd
Thursday	November	12th

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All communications and enquiries to be addressed to The Canadian Metal Company, Ltd., Nelson, B.C.

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The Blairmore Blacksmith,

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Secretary

The Kribs Hardware Co.

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Belgian Coke Ovens, of the
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AND
DOMESTIC COAL

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Manager's office at Blairmore Alberta

Frank News in Brief

Buy your clothing of A. V. Lang, Alex Goyette, dealer in furniture and wall paper.

H. A. Parks, the Coleman druggist, is visiting people in the northern part of the province.

T. M. Barnett of Belmont left this morning for a trip to Seattle and other coast points.

Mud slides on the line west of Coors Nest have caused considerable delay of trains for some days past.

E. T. Fitzsimmons of the Great West Fuel & Trading company left Tuesday evening on a business trip to Regina.

Mrs. McMechin holds her millinery opening next Tuesday. She has an exceptionally fine line this season.

H. N. Galer arrived at Coleman last evening from Spokane and will spend a few days looking over the properties in the district in which he is interested.

The mine of the International company at Coors Nest is closed this week while repairs are being made to the tipple. The mine will start again Saturday.

The Coleman council is planning to make improvements to the fire department, to grade streets and extend the street lighting system this season.

The provincial government has decided to discontinue the teaching of vertical writing in the schools of Alberta. The majority of people will agree it is a most sensible thing to do.

Dentistry—Dr. Bruce, head office, Macleod, honor graduate of Toronto, University, and Royal College of Dental Surgeons of Ontario, will make his next regular visit to Frank on March 23, 24, and 25 and Coleman, 26, 27 and 28. Please call and make appointments early.

Dan Nolan, salesman and expert for one of the big houses of the country supplying western stove water pipe, visited Frank the first week of the month to confer with the company relative to its plan of installing a water power plant to furnish power for all the company's works. With President Silberman he went up Fish Creek Tuesday to get an idea of the company's requirements and will submit a tender for supplying the pipe. It is the company's plan to lay a two foot pipe line from above the falls the first block of the avenue and develop sufficient power to enable the company to utilize it for all purposes in which power is required.

FIRE BRIGADE MEETING

The fire brigade met last evening to complete re-organization. The appointment of W. J. McGowan as chief was announced and he in turn announced his appointments of subordinate officers.

Jack Whiller was appointed captain and James Stephens, George Crickshank and Eugene Schurh, were appointed to be in charge of the hook and ladder company.

A motion was carried instructing the chief to appoint a member of the brigade to occupy the room at the fire hall to care for the apparatus and be on duty in case of a night alarm, which McGowan appointed Captain Whiller.

A committee was appointed to secure the gymnasium equipment of the old athletic club.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that in accordance with the provisions of The Irrigation Act the undersigned has filed the memorials and plans required by sections 13 and 15 of the said act, with the commissioner of Irrigation, at Calgary, Alta.

The application applies for the right to divert water from the Cowley River at Sennfeld held a meeting in Frank Thursday last. It was decided to continue the development work on the property.

The Rev. James Sergeant has been called as minister of the Baptist church in The Pass. He will preach at Knox church Sunday afternoon and at Blairmore Mission Hall Sunday evenings. Mr. and Mrs. Sergeant will reside in Blairmore.

The St. Patrick's day masquerade ball will be held at the new opera house. It was the most successful ball of the kind ever held in The Pass. There was a big attendance, several people coming from as far away as Cowley and Pincher and a great good had.

A most important announcement was made by the Hon. Sydney Fisher in an address before the double foresty convention a few days ago when he informed the convention the government had decided to include no more of the large along the eastern slope of the main range of Rocky mountains and that a strip of country several miles wide extending from the coast to the east and north into the hills of the prairie the far north will be created a forest reserve. The idea is to preserve the standing timber and to refresh other portions of the reserve with a view to providing a perpetual supply of timber for the benefit of the inhabitants of the prairie regions.

MEETING OF COUNCIL

The village council met Tuesday afternoon and considered a number of matters of more or less importance to the village, some of which were disposed of and others laid over for further consideration.

The request of the re-organized fire brigade for the re-appointment of W. J. McGowan as fire chief was granted. McGowan was re-appointed by unanimous vote.

A list of supplies required by the department was submitted by the chief which the clerk was directed to purchase.

Chairman Dr. Macleod called a meeting of the council to be held to be taken to prevent the public health and after the discussion of ways and means it was decided to have the sanitary regulations printed and posted conspicuously about town and warning to all householders and to the public that sanitary regulations are rigidly enforced.

The report of the engineers employed to make estimates in connection with the light subject was laid before the members. The estimate was so high as to be prohibitive and it was decided to lay the subject over until further investigation can be made.

The subject of collecting the dog tax and whether or not animals shall be permitted to run at large in the village was discussed but the question concerning them was deferred.

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